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## Our Condensed Nursery Catalog

THIS is not a complete list of the stock we grow and sell, but it covers the principal items; so, if you do not see what you want, be like the boy, "call for it."

Nothing in this list is new or untried. Each item offered has been in cultivation in different localities for many years and has proven entirely hardy and reliable.

If you pay your money for low-quality stock, you will get just that, and you will not get the results from it that you should.

Invest in good trees and plants, and reap the biggest returns possible on your investment.

WE SELL A HALF DOZEN AT DOZEN RATES.

# Gate City Nursery

J. H. MARNETTE, Manager Landscape Architect

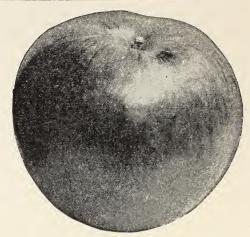
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Our Home is at the Nursery

Omaha - - Nebraska





Wealthy

## Apples

 Price 5 to 7 feet
 Each, 85c; Per Doz. \$9.00

 Price 4 to 6 feet
 Each, 75c; Per Doz. 7.50

Taking into consideration its hardiness, productiveness and general commercial value, the apple stands at the head of the list of fruits. In selecting the most important varieties for cultivation, it has been our constant aim to secure only those of standard excellence, and in no instance to recommend a novelty without ascertaining its history from a reliable source. from a reliable source.

#### SUMMER VARIETIES

DUCHESS OF OLDENBURG—A large beautiful apple. roundish. Streaked red and yellow. Tender, juicy and pleasant. Tree a vigorous, fine grower and abundant bearer. Very hardy. September.

DYER—Color a light clear yellow, tender, juicy, and pleasant, one of the best eating apples, begins ripening in August and ripens continuously for six weeks. Tree a good grower.

good grower.

LIVELAND (Liveland Raspberry) -Color orange yellow, striped, splashed and shaded with red, showing gray dots through the color, flesh light yellow, often stained with red; fine, tender, juicy; core medium open; flavor subacid, good.

RED ASTRACHAN—Tree vigorous, upright, hardy and productive. Fruit medium to large; surface smooth, marbled and striped on greenish yellow; flavor acid.

RED JUNE—Medium. red; juicy, good flavor. Abundant hardy Late of June. RED ASTRACHAN-

ant bearer. Last of June.

YELLOW TRANSPARENT—A Russian apple. a hardy, upright grower; regular and early bearer, size. Color a rich, transparent yellow with a fai on sunny side; flesh melting, juicy, sub-acid. Tree is medium a faint blush

#### AUTUMN VARIETIES

FAMEUSE (Snow)—Medium size, roundish; crimson, sometimes striped in northern localities. Flesh snowy white; very tender, fine, juicy, mild, sub-acid; one of the finest dessert fruits. Hardy and prolific. Very popular. white; very to dessert

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MAIDEN BLUSH—Large, smooth, regular, evenly shaded red cheek or blush on a pale yellow ground; flesh white, tender, sprightly, with a pleasant sub-acid flavor; bears large crops; free. August to October.

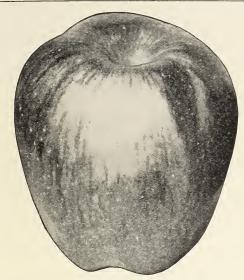
RAMSDELL'S SWEET—Rather large, oblong dark red, best fall sweet apple, some times called English Sweet. October to December.

CHENANGO (Strawberry)—Rather large, oblong conjections.

October to December.

CHENANGO (Strawberry)—Rather large, oblong, conical, angular; whitish-yellow, striped and splashed with light crimson; flesh white, very tender, with mild, pleasant sub-acid flavor. A market and eating variety. Tree vigorous and productive.

WEALTHY—Origin, Minnesota. Large, round; red; very handsome; fine quality; good grower. Perfectly hardy and most reliable. Very popular throughout the north. Long keeper in cold storage. October to January.



Delicious

#### WINTER VARIETIES

BEN DAVIS—Tree thrifty, upright grower of almost perfect shape. Fruit large, round, sometimes variable in form; surface smooth often polished yellow, covered and splashed bright red; flesh white, tender, juicy; flavor subacid, not rich quality; only good for market and cooking. November to Spring.

DELICIOUS—Flourishes well in every state of the Union. Bears annually; great yielder; hangs well on trees. Trees very thrifty, long lived and extremely hardy. Fruit very large, nearly covered with brilliant, dark red; flesh fine grained, crisp, juicy, melting and delicious; splendid keeper and shipper; should be in every orchard.

GANO—Fruit is bright red on yellow ground, with no stripes; large, oblong, surface smooth, polished; dots minute; basin shallow, sometimes deep; eye large, cavity deep; brown in color; stem medium to long; core medium. Tree healthy, vigorous and prolific bearer. January to deep; brown 1.
Tree healthy, April.

GRIMES GOLDEN—This is one of the most popular apples in cultivation. Tree strong, thrifty grower. Fruit medium or above, cylindrical; regular surface, yellow veined, russeted; flesh yellow, firm, very fine grained, juicy; flavor sub-acid; quality rich. For dessert, cooking and market. November and December.

JONATHAN—Tree of rather slender growth and spreading habit; fruit medium or above in size, round or oblong; surface very smooth, waxy yellow, often wholly covered with brilliant red; flesh whitish yellow, tender, very juley; for dessert and cooking; quality best. October to February

GREENING—Fruit medium to come to eight ounces each and very NORTHWESTERN GREENING—Fruit medium to large, averaging from seven to eight ounces each and very uniform in size. Color greenish yellow, flesh juicy, firm and fine grained. Very fine quality and flavor. Tree is very hardy and a thrifty grower, an early and continuous bearer. One of the longest keepers. January to Spring.

INGRAM—A fine little apple, of the highest quality, seedling of the Rawles Janet which it surpasses in size and value, one of the earliest and heaviest bearers, adapted to this section. Fine quality, tree hardy. December to May.

RAWLES JANET—Tree good grower, not so large as some; fruit medium; somewhat conical, regular; surface smooth, mixed and striped on yellow and green; flesh yellowish, crisp, fine grained, juley; flavor sub-acid; quality good to very good. For dessert, kitchen, market and cider. November to Spring.

TALMAN SWEET—Medium size, pale yellow, slightly tinged with red; firm, rich and sweet; excellent for preserving; tree vigorous, very hardy and productive. Noslightly vember to April.

WINESAP (Stayman's)—Large, roundish, deep red; medium quality; keeps well; tree a fair grower and good bearer. December to May.

WINTER BANANA—A highly prized and valuable market sort. Beautiful yellow fruit; flavor exquisite and very tempting; highest quality. Productive. Reliable growers represent it to be hardy North. Very popular for

dessert

YORK IMPERIAL—Tree moderate grower and productive, fruit large, lop-sided; surface smooth; color mixed bright red on yellow ground; flesh yellowish, tender, juicy, flavor mild sub-acid; quality very good; for market, table, kitchen. November till Spring.

## Crab Apples



Whitney Crab



Duchess Pear

## Pears

Pears succeed best on rather steep hillsides. Plant pears midway on the slope, putting something else on the upper and lower sections. Cultivate sparingly, so as to induce a very slow growth, and let blue grass take the land before the trees come into fruitage. When blight appears, cut off the affected parts at once and burn them; cut six inches below the lowest blight, to insure taking all infected san cut six inches tall infected sap.

### EARLY VARIETIES

### AUTUMN VARIETIES

DUCHESS D'ANGOULEME—Dwarf. Very large, oblong, obovate, dull greenish yellow, flesh white, very juicy, buttery, with a rich, excellent flavor. Tree a strong grower. October.

the fruit.

### Plums

The plum delights in a cool, not too dry situation, and good rich soil. Plant trees 10 to 15 feet apart, in rows. The varieties we offer have been thoroughly tested, and are standbys. These may be relied upon to furnish crops of this profitable and delicious fruit.

 Price 5 to 7 feet
 Each, \$1.25; Per Doz. \$14.00

 Price 4 to 6 feet
 Each, 1.00; Per Doz. 11.00

#### NATIVE VARIETIES

COMPASS CHERRY—Small, purplish red, with large pit, flesh yellow and very good for cooking. The original cross of Miner Plum and Sand Cherry. cross of



Terry Plums

DE SOTO—Resembles Miner in form and color, but two weeks earlier. Fine for eating or canning. Tree a moderate grower; bears young and profusely; hardy north. Is best planted on moist rich ground and the fruit thinned. Use this variety for fertilizing.

TERRY—One of the largest and handsomest native plums yet produced; color clear, red, flesh juicy, fine quality. August. Tree vigorous and hardy.

WILD GOOSE—The most popular fruit with some fruit growers. Tree a vigorous, upright grower; fruit medium to large, rich golden yellow, shaded with red; flesh yellow and juicy; flavor rich and good.

WOLF—Fruit large, a perfect freestone. As to quality we find them superb for cooking and for serving with sugar as we use peaches. Tree a good grower; hardy. August.

August.

WYANT—Large, round, oblong, dark red; flesh firm; freestone, and of excellent quality. Native of Iowa and hardy.

### JAPAN VARIETIES-Not Hardy

ABUNDANCE—Large, roundish; freestone; amber, turning to a rich cherry color with a whitish bloom; flesh light yellow, juicy, tender, sweet and excellent, vigorous and very productive. August.

BURBANK—Large, nearly globular; clear cherry red with thin lilac bloom; flesh deep yellow; rich, very sweet, with peculiar and agreeable flavor. Vigorous and a very early bearer. Last of August.

### HYBRID VARIETIES

HANSKA—Beautiful color, bright red. wit bloom; flesh firm, yellow and of good quality; f apricot flavor; tree tall, rapid grower; pit small. with heavy fragrant;

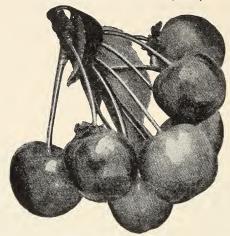
OPATA—Flesh firm, greenish with pleasant flavor Pit small; season early; is strong grower and heavy bearer.

SAPA—Much like Oxheart cherry, dark flesh and juice. Fine quality. Five-foot trees at three years bear 1 to 1½ bushels and keep it up. Every home in the country should possess from one to a dozen of these wonderful trees.

## Cherries

Price 5 to 7 feet \_\_\_\_\_\_Each, \$1.25; Per Doz. \$14.00
Price 4 to 6 feet \_\_\_\_\_\_Each, 1.00; Per Doz. 11.00
Cherry culture has been a success when proper attention has been given to the selection of varieties and their culture. The hardy, thrifty varieties of the Morello type may be freely planted with confidence of profitable results. The cherry tree should be planted in a naturally dry soil or the soil should be well drained, so that water may not remain near the roots for any considerable time.

DUKE AND MORELLO (Sour)



Early Richmond Cherry

EARLY RICHMOND—Everywhere the most popular. Tree strong, thrifty grower, making a large, symmetrical head; fruit medium size, dark red, melting, juicy; sprightly acid flavor and especially valuable for cooking purposes; tree an early and abundant bearer. Season last of May and first of June.

and first of June.

ENGLISH MORELLO—Tree moderate grower, hardy; an early and great bearer; the most valuable of the late varieties. Fruit large, round; skin dark red, becoming nearly black when fully ripe; flesh dark red, tender, juicy and of a pleasant sub-acid flavor when fully ripe. July.

LARGE MONTMORENCY—A fine, large, light red cherry of the Richmond class, but larger and more solid; a more upright grower, equally hardy and productive. Second only to Early Richmond in value. Ripens ten days later.

WRAGG—Originated in Iowa. Medium to large in size, long stem, dark purple when fully ripe. A variety well adapted for the prairie regions of the Northwest. Appears identical in tree and fruit with English Morello, but is claimed to be a new variety. Valuable late cherry. July.

## Peaches

Price 5 to 7 feet \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Each, 75c; Per Doz. \$8.00
Peach trees should be planted 16 to 18 feet apart. Cut weak shoots back about one-half and strong ones about one-third, but see that there is left a sufficient supply of fruit buds. Sickly and superfluous shoots should be cut out clean. The fruit is borne on wood of last season's growth, hence the necessity of keeping up a good supply of vigorous annual shoots all over the tree. Young trees should be well mulched every spring.

BOKHARA (F).—Raised from seed procured in Bokhara, Asia. It has been fruited in the Northwest for years and found to be one of the hardiest peaches known there. Tree has stood 28 degrees below zero with but little injury to the tips, and produced fair crops. Fruit, large, yellow, with red cheek, of good quality, perfect freestone; skin tough, a fine shipper. August.

CHAMPION (F.)—The earliest freestone and a first-class shipper. Bears full crops when others fail. In comparison with the bountiful yield of all of the best kinds, it is of all of them the champion. Size large, flavor delicious, juicy, sweet, rich, excelling all other varieties; very handsome in appearance, creamy white with red cheek; very hardy; season earliest.

ELBERTA (F).—Large, yellow with red cheek. Of excellent quality; flesh yellow and melting; freestone. The market peach of America.

## Mulberries

RUSSIAN—Good shade and ornamental tree, rapid grower, excellent wind and snow break; most valuable to supply the native birds, thus keeping them from the more precious fruits. Fruit of little value.

Price 5 to 7 feet. Each \$0.50

Price 4 to 5 feet. Each 40 

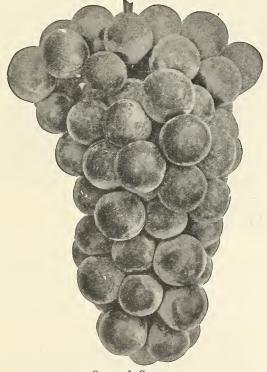
# Grapes

Annual and careful pruning is essential to the production of good grapes. The roots cannot bring to maturity a fine crop of fruit if they are called upon to carry too much wood. Winter and early spring is the best time to prune, when the vines are dormant.

#### RED VARIETIES

its class.

BRIGHTON—Bunch large, shouldered; berries medium to large, round, dark red, tender, very little pulp, sweet, juicy, slightly aromatic and very good. Ripens early.



Concord Grapes

### BLACK VARIETIES

CONCORD—One of the most popular and reliable varieties we possess; bunch large, compact and shouldered; berry large, round, almost black with blue bloom, juicy, buttery and very sweet.

Each Per Doz. Per 100 

early grape.

foremost rank among native grapes. Price 2 year, No. 1. Each, 35c; Per Doz. \$3.50; Per 100 \$25.

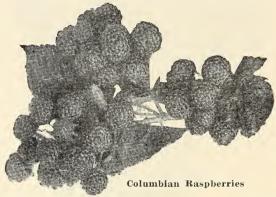
### WHITE VARIETIES

NIAGARA—Occupies the same position among the white varieties as Concord among the black. Bunch and berries large, greenish white, changing to pale yellow when fully ripe. Skin thin but tough, quality much like the Concord. Price

# Raspberries

Plant two and a half feet apart in rows seven feet apart. Thin to four or five good canes in a hill; cut out old canes as soon as through fruiting.

#### PURPLE CAP VARIETIES RED AND



COLUMBIAN—The Columbian is a new variety of the Shaffer type of remarkable vigor and productiveness. Not very hardy and propagates from tips. Fruit very large, often an inch in diameter, shape somewhat conical, color dark red bordered on purple; adheres firmly to the stem and will dry on the bush if not picked; seeds small and deeply imbedded in a rich juicy pulp with a distinct flavor of its own. Succeeds wherever red sorts do well and promises to become the leading variety. A most delicious table herry. table berry.

Per 25, \$1.75; Per 100, \$7.00 Price 1 year.....

BLACK VARIETIES

CUMBERLAND—Largest black raspberry known; unusually strong grower, perfectly hardy. The most profitable raspberry grown.

Price 1 vaer Per 25, \$1.50; Per 100, \$5.00 Price, 1 year....

# Blackberries

Plant four feet apart in rows six feet apart. Pinch the nes back when four feet high. Light, moderately rich canes back when land is preferable.

Price RSEREAU—Renowned for hardiness of cane, great tiveness and large size berry. Is not "seedy" like other sorts. Fruit jet black, and does not change Berries rich, melting and luscious, with little or productiveness many other color.

SNYDER—The old standard. Very hardy, consequently much raised in cold climates. Berries medium size, juicy, rich; strong, stout caue, thrifty growth and a very broad

## Currants

Price Perfection, 2-year No. 1 Each...50c; Per Doz. \$5.00
Prices other varieties, 2-yr No. 1. Each ...30c; Per Doz. 3.00
The currant is one of the most valued of the small
fruits. They mature just before Raspberries and can be
used either raw or cooked. Being very hardy, they do not
winter-kill and are easy of cultivation, requiring little
care. They can be grown in any good garden soil.
WHITE GRAPE—Very large, yellowish white; sweet,
or very mild acid; excellent for the table. The finest of
the white sorts very productive

or very not the white

white sorts, very productive.

CHERRY—The largest of all red currants:

Cherry mines more than one-half inch in diameter; currants; bernes bunches sometimes more than

sometimes more than one-half inch in diameter; dunches short; plant very vigorous and productive when grown on good soil and well cultivated.

FAY'S PROLIFIC—For size, beauty and productiveness is a remarkable red currant. The berry is equal to Cherry currant, while the flavor is superior. The stem is long, which permits rapid picking, valuable for both market and home. Fruit hangs on well, never dropping, as in other currents. other currants

other currants.

PERFECTION—Bright red, and of a size larger than the Fay; size of berries is maintained to end of bunch. It is one of the most productive Currants. Rich, mild, sub-acid flavor and having plenty of pulp with few seeds. You can pick Perfections fast as cherries.

POMONA—This is one of the most profitable currants for the market; while not the largest in size, it outyields all other varieties. Color is a beautiful bright red, berry sweet and less acid than most of the general varieties; good size, and larger than Victoria; a vigorous grower with healthy, hardy foliage. with healthy, hardy foliage.

## Gooseberries

DOWNING—Fruit very large, flesh whitish green, soft, cy and good; plant vigorous and prolific; one of the juicy best.



Josselyn Gooseberries

PEARL—A cross between Houghton and one of the large English varieties. It is very hardy and entirely free from mildew; superior in size and quality; as productive as Downing.

Price, 2-year No. 1 ..... Each 35c; Per Doz. \$3.50

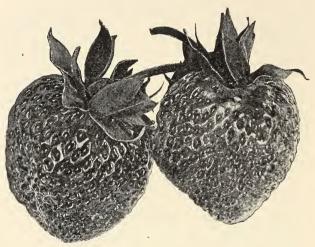
## Strawberries

### EVERBEARING VARIETIES

PROGRESSIVE EVERBEARING—Very large, dark red and glossy; fine quality. It begins to bear in June with immense crops and continues until late in fall. It is one of the heaviest bearers of berries in June as well as a remarkable fall bearer. Will produce a fair crop of fruit the first summer.

### SPRING-BEARING VARIETIES

SENATOR DUNLAP (S)—This berry is of the Warfield type, has a perfect blossom, is hardy, productive, a splendid keeper and able to hold its own under any "rough and tumble" methods of culture to which it is likely to be subjected. It is a very heavy bearer of good size, even fruit, of a very beautiful dark red color. It is a berry to grow for either home use or market.



Senator Dunlap Strawberries

### Rhubarb

This deserves to be ranked among the best early fruits in the garden. It affords the earliest material for pies and tarts, continues long in use, is valuable for canning. Use well grown roots, not divided old clumps.

WYATTS LINNEAUS—Large, early, tender and fine.
Price Each 15c; Per Doz. \$1.50

## Asparagus

The first garden vegetable of spring; it is a great delicacy and comes in just when it is most needed. One hundred roots will supply a small family and will last for years. Set the plants about eighteen inches apart in the row. Spread the roots out in the bottom of the hole or furrow and gradually fill in as the plant grows, so that the roots will be about four inches deep.

CONOVER'S COLOSSAL—Best for general planting.
Price ———————————————————————Per 100, \$3.00

PALMETTO—Newer variety, earlier; probably as good. Price, ......Per 100, \$3.00

## Roses

#### HYBRID PERPETUALS

ALFRED COLOMB—Bright carmine red; clear color, large, deeply built form; exceedingly fine.



American Beauty Roses

AMERICAN BEAUTY—The world-famous rose. Rich, rosy-crimson, exquisitely shaded. Magnificent buds. Flowers extra large and deep petaled; of beautiful form and very double. This hardy rose has the ever-blooming qualities of the Tea Rose with the delicious odor of the La France. The great American forcer and bedder, each shoot producing a bud. A universal favorite. Not hardy.

CLIO—A rose of perfect form and finish, with broad, thick petals, high full center, beautiful form pointed bud to fully opened flower. The color is a delicate satiny blush with slightly deeper center. The plant is vigorous and blooms freely, displaying its great flowers on good stems against large rich leaves.

Each

MAGNA CHARTA—Bright, clear pink, flushed with violet crimson; flowers large, fine form, sweet, very double and free bloomer.

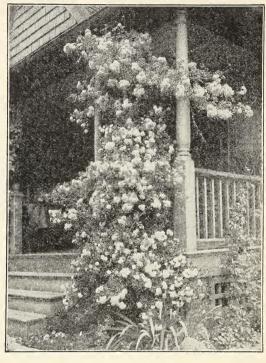
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CLIMBING ROSES

CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY—A strong, vigorous climber but may be kept pruned back to a large size bush rose. The blooms are the same size, color and fragrance as the old variety and when in bloom it is a perfect mass of color. Each. \$1.00

Each



Crimson Rambler

FLOWER OF FAIRFIELD—A sort of the well-known and famous Crimson Rambler climbing rose. This new rose produces its lovely flowers until killing frosts stop further growth of the plant. The flowers are produced in great trusses, each carrying from thirty to forty blossoms of the brightest crimson, which remains undimmed to the end. Each.

Each.....

#### BABY RAMBLER ROSES

RED BABY RAMBLER-Crimson flowers. Very attractive and popular. Each ......

#### MOSS ROSES

CRESTED MOSS—The deep pink buds are surrounded with a mossy fringe and crest; fragrant. One of the best. Each .....85e

PERPETUAL WHITE—Pure white, blooms in clusters, uble, beautiful, vigorous. Each......85c double, vigorous. Each.....

## Ornamental Shrubs

The planting of ornamental shrubs is very largely on the increase, and this is as it should be, for with a good selection the lawn can always be beautiful. They are mostly of medium size, enabling one to plant a great variety on a small plat, and the wonderful assortment of foliage from the darkest green and purple to light orange and silver tints. This addition to the great variety in the blossoms, all unite to keep up a never failing interest. We have selected the very best for our climate.

FLOWERING SHRUBS—Variegated Colored Foliage—Barberry, Golden Elder, Syringa, Variegated Weigelia. Shrubs that Flower in May—Flowering Almonds, Honeysuckle, Japan Quince, Lilac, Snowballs, Spireas, Wisteria. In June—Clematis, Deutzia, Elder, Honeysuckle, Peonies, Lilacs, Snowball, Spireas, Syringa, Weigelia, Wisteria. In July—Clematis, Spirea, Honeysuckle.

In August and September—Bignonia, Clematis, Honeysuckle, Hydrangea.

suckle, Hydrangea.



ALTHEA, or ROSE OF SHARON—Valuable because they bloom so profusely in late summer when other flowers are scarce. They form beautiful groups of hedges, their variety of colors making it possible to use quantities of them even in small grounds. 2 to 3 ft, each.......75c

ALMOND, FLOWERING—Pink and white varieties.

These hequiful strubs are desirable and scarce. Hards.

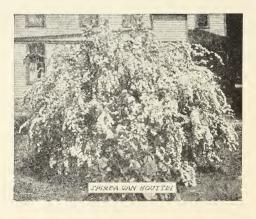
CALYCANTHUS (Carolina Allspice)—A well known native bush very double, purple fragrant flowers. Each, 90c.

HYDRANGEA, ARBORESCENS STERILIS (also Hills of Snow, Summer Hydrangea, or Snowball Hydrangea.) The blooms are of the very largest size, of pure snow-white color, and the foliage is finely finished. One of its most valuable characteristics is its coming into bloom just after the passing of all the early spring shrubs. 2 to 3 feet each feet, each.

HYDRANGEA, PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA—These plants are absolutely hardy, grow in any soil and bloom the same year they are set out. They flower abundantly, bearing hundreds of immense panicles of bloom. White turning to rose in autumn. An annual shortening of branches tends to increase the size of the flowers. Very fine and valuable for cemetery planting. 2 to 3 ft., ea. \$1.00

Price, 2 to 3 feet. Each.....

SPIREA, ANTHONY WATERER—A small dwarf variety 1½ ft., covered with flat heads of pink flowers. Used for edging and in front of shrubbery. 12 to 18 in...............75c



WEIGELIA, EVA RATHKE—Flowers a brilliant crimson; a beautiful, clear, distinct shade. Each......75c

### Vines

Ornamentals of this class are so hardy and so beautiful that they deserve greater attention than they receive. No artist can produce pictures equal to the wealth of beauty displayed by the elegant Wistaria, the graceful Honeysuckle, or the charming and magnificent Clematis when in the glory of full bloom.



-A splendid

CLEMATIS—The different varieties and species of Clems now in cultivation are of the highest beauty and lity. They vary greatly in their foliage and flowers atis now in cultivation are of utility. They vary greatly in and are adapted to various uses.

tinuous masses on the for general planting. Each.....

CLEMATIS, HENRYI-Fine bloomer; flowers large, of 

CLEMATIS PANICULATA—A great novelty. One of the most desirable, useful and beautiful of hardy garden vines, a luxuriant grower, profuse bloomer with fine foli-age. Flowers of medium size, very pretty and fragrant, produced in the greatest profusion in late summer. Ea. 75c

HONEYSUCKLE (Monthly Fragrant)-Blooms all sumr; very sweet. Each....... HONEYSUCKLE (Hall's

## Hardy Herbaceous Perennials

DAHLIAS-Well known autumn flowering plants, growing from two to five feet high, and producing a profusion of flowers of the most perfect and beautiful form, varying in color from the purest white to the darkest maroon.

GOLDEN GLOW—We call attention to this notable novelty, and offer it as the finest herbaceous border plant introduced for many years. It is of easy growth and is giving complete satisfaction. But few plants can vie with it in attractiveness. There is no floral novelty before the public to be compared to it for effectiveness and worth.

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PEONIES—No flowers exceed the Peonies in popularity, and none are more easily grown. They are seldom attacked by insects or disease, and are perfectly hardy, requiring no covering in the severest weather. They thrive in all kinds of soil and flourish in a rich deep loam.

No hardy perennial is of more permanent value than the Peony. The first cost is the only cost, and they continue to increase in size and value for many years. The foliage is rich and beautiful deep green color, which renders the plant very ornamental even when out of flower, and no other flowers are so well adapted for interior decration and none make more massive color effect when planted in a border or in a bed on the lawn. Their popularity has increased during the past few years since the new improved varieties have been disseminated. Peonies range in color from cream and pure white through the various shades of pink and red to the deepest purple and maroon, in all possible combinations of tint and form.



Peonies

THE VERY BEST PEONIES
DUCHESS DE NEMOURS—White with sulphur yellow center. Mid-season. Each 75c.

EDULIS SUPERBA-Bright, clear pink. Large bloom. Very early. Each 75c.
LOUIS VAN HOUTTE—Deep carmine rose. Very bril-

liant. Late. Each 75c.

FESTIVA MAXIMA—White sometimes flecked crimson.
The best. Early. Each 75c.

ALEXANDRE DUMAS—Brilliant pink. Fragrant. Mid-

season.

Each 75c. FE H. DE COMTE CHOESSEL—Dark red. Very Season late. Each 75c.

LA TULIPE—Variegated white and pink.

l-season. Each 75c. SUPERBA—Rich, deep crimson, nearly black. Mid-season.

Large.

Season

ony. Mid-season.

RUBRA SUPERBA—Rich, deep crimes, arge. Very late. Each \$1.00.

CLAIRE DUBOIS—Clear violet rose, tipped white. ason late. Each \$1.00.

FRINGE LEAF—Bright red. Very early. Each \$1.50.

ASA GRAY—Pale lilac pink. Midseason. 75c each.

FELIX CROUSSE—Very brilliant red. \$1.00 each.

MME. DE VERNEVILLE—Pure white, early. \$1.00 each.

OFFICINALIS RUBRA—Bright crimson. Very early. \$1.00 each.

### THE BEST GERMAN IRIS

Price each 20c; Per Dozen \$1.75

FLORENTINA—White with tinge of lilac. Very fragrant, GERTRUDE—Rare violet blue.

HARLEQUIN—Pure white flecked with lavender and

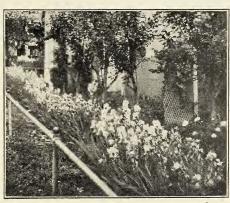
royal purple.
HONORABILISgolden yellow -Bright veined with

crimson and maroon.

L'AVENIER—Beautiful shade of light lavender.

MADAME CHEREAU—Clear white frilled about the edge with violet.

MRS. H. DARWIN—White, laced with maroon, violet at the base. at the base.



Hedge of Iris

#### THE BEST HARDY PHLOX

Price each, 35c; Per Dozen \$3.50

AMERICAN BEAUTY—Delicate pink with silvery reflex. ATHIS—Clear salmon.
ECLAIREUER—Bright purplish rose, with light center.
MRS. JENKINS—Very large, fine, pure white.
PANTHEON—Bright crimson.
RICHARD WALLACE—White, with bright pink eye.

### Floral Bulbs

(Floral Bulbs for Spring Planting Only)

GLADIOLI

Price Mixed, each 10c; per doz. \$0.75
Price Named, each 10c; per doz. \$1.00
GLADIOLI—Of all our summer flowering bulbs gladioli stand at the head of the most varied and beautiful class. The flowers are produced in spikes two feet in height and upwards; the brilliant scarlet and crimson of some form a striking contrast with the delicate shades and penciling of the lighter colored varieties. By planting at intervals from May 1st to middle of June a succession of flowers can be had from July to October.

AMERICA—Beautiful dainty pink.
BARON JOSEF HULOT—Deep, violet blue.
EMPRESS OF INDIA—Rich, dark red.
MRS. FRANCIS KING—Brilliant scarlet.
PEACE—Pure white with pale violet feathering on in-

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ior petals. SCHWABEN—Sulphur yellow, dark blotch in center.

# **Hedge Plants**

## **Trees**

The stock of ornamental trees that we offer will be found to comprise a sufficient number of kinds that are really valuable, so that our customers may, from the list offered, secure such a variety as will give full satisfaction. For Streets, Roads and Wide Avenues—American Elm, Sugar and Silver Maple, Carolina Poplar.

For Driveways through Lawns and Parks—Norway Maple, Tulip Tree, Catalpa, American Linden.

Single Specimens of Large Growth to be Branched from the Ground—Birches, particularly Cut-Leaf Weeping; Austrian and Scotch Pines, Norway and Colorado Spruces, Balsam Fir.

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Strong Growing Trees of Pyramidal Habit—Carolina
Poplar, Balsam Fir, Pyramidalis Arbor Vitae.

Trees that Thrive in Moist Locations—American Elm,
American Linden, Ash, Catalpas, Poplars and Willows.

Trees that Thrive on Dry Knolls or Poor Soils—Silver
Leaf Maples and Poplars.

Best Trees for Windbreaks—Evergreens, Norway Spruce

White Pine.

Flowering Trees—Judas Tree, Fringe Tree, White and Purple Lindens, Horse Chestnut, Catalpas.

Cut-Leaf—Cut-Leaf Weeping Birch, Weirs Cut-Leaf Weirs Cut-Leaf Maple.



Sugar Maple

handsome.



Catalpa Bungei

CHESTNUT, AMERICAN SWEET-Well known beau-

, spreading,

#### WEEPING VARIETIES

BIRCH (Cut-Leaf Weeping)—Erect, stately, rapid growing tree, with long, slender, pendant branches, delicately cut leaves and silvery white trunk; especially fine when evergreens; hardy; the most elegant weeping tree on the list.

## Evergreens

In handling and planting evergreens never allow the roots to become dry for an instant. Their juices are resinous, and when once dry, water has no power to restore them; dip the roots in "grout" or very thin mud, and plant quickly; cover the roots with fresh soil and with a heavy piece of wood beat the earth solid over them. Fill up and pound again, and finish by bringing fresh loose earth about the tree with a hoe. No wind can now bend the tree about so as to break the tender rootlets as fast as formed. the tree as as formed.
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Use Scotch Pine, White Spruce, Norway Spruce, White Pine for high screens and Arbor Vitae or Cedar for low ones. Spruce,

Cedar for low ones.

ARBOR VITAE (American)—This plant is, all things considered, the finest evergreen for hedges. It is very hardy and easily transplanted, few plants failing if properly handled. It grows rapidly and with little care, or rather by easy management, it soon forms a most beautiful hedge, very dense and perfectly impervious to the sight. It is never planted to turn stock, but it forms a most desirable and ornamental screen to divide the lawn from other grounds.

Price, 2 to 3 ft. Each, 75c; 18 to 24 in., per 100, \$45.00; 12 to 18 in., per 100, \$35.00.

ARBOR VITAE (Pyramidalis)—Superb, new and hardy sort, of very compact habit; much better than the Irish Juniper and grown in a perfect column. Largely planted in cemeteries, owing to the small amount of space it occupies. This is perhaps the most valuable. Arbor Vitae in cultivation. Price, 2 to 3 feet, \$3.00.

NORWAY SPRUCE—A lofty, elegant tree of perfect pyramidal habit, exceedingly picturesque and beautiful. One of the best evergreens for windbreaks.

Price, 18 to 24 inches.

Per 100, \$30.00

Price, 12 to 18 inches.

Per 100, \$5.00



How We Grow White Pine

PINE, WHITE—One of the best evergreens. The foliage is a warm, light green, often with a bluish tinge. The leaves, in fives, are three or four inches long, soft and delicately fragrant. It does not grow as rapidly the first few years as some, but after being planted six or eight years it is the most rapid grower of all our evergreens. Price, 18 to 21 inches, per 100, \$30.00; 12 to 18 inches, per 100, \$25.00.

SPRUCE, COLORADO BLUE—This species has been tested at various points on

per 100, \$25.00.

SPRUCE, COLORADO BLUE—This species has been tested at various points on the prairies of the West and Northwest with perfect success, and during a temperature of 30° below zero, in exposed situations, entirely uninjured. One of the hardiest evergreens and the most beautiful in color and outline. "This is the king of spruces, clothed in royal robes of silver and sapphire, a very Kohinoor among the gems of the Rockies."

Price, 2 to 3 feet \$7.00

Our evergreens are given special care, hamdled carefully and transplanted frequently, so there is no danger in moving them from our nurseries.

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